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SUBJECT: PURPOSE OF MOBUTU VISIT TO PARIS NEXT MONTH

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LE MONDE FOR MARCH 11 REPORTS THAT PRESIDENT GISCARD D'ESTAING
TOLD PRESS CONFERENCE IN BANGUI ON MARCH 8 THAT MOBUTU
WOULD VISIT HIM IN PARIS IN APRIL. VISIT HAS NOT YET BEEN
ANNOUNCED HERE. ITS PURPOSE INTRIGUES US. MOBUTU WAS EARLIER
SCHEDULED TO SPEAK AT SORBONNE IN APRIL ON "AUTHENTICITY",
BUT FRENCH EMBASSY HERE INFORMED US SOME WEEKS AGO WITH UNDISGUISED
RELIEF THAT GOZ HAD DROPPED THIS IDEA. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY
INSIGHTS EMBASSY PARIS MAY GAIN INTO PURPOSE OF MOBUTU'S
APRIL VISIT.
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